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Provincial Items.

From our Canadian files, received by the arrival of the Brother Jonathan, we take the following interesting items of news:

On the 14th September, a ball was given at Toronto, by the employés of the Grand Trunk Railway. The depot building was fitted up as a dancing hall, and the affair was a decided success.

The *Toronto Colonist* and the *Leader* have united, and will be hereafter issued under the name of the latter.

Pickpockets were very numerous at Toronto during the visit of the Prince.

The Prince of Wales kissed the daughter of the Mayor of Guelph, a place named from his family. She was at the head of twenty-nine damsels, who sung to him.

Hannibal Hamlin, Esq., of the State of Maine, and Republican candidate for the Vice Presidency of the United States, has been traveling in this Province for a few days past. He proceeded to Shediac by rail on Thursday, and returned to this city yesterday.—*St. John, N. B., Globe.*

The Newfoundland *Patriot* says that the cod fishery on certain parts of the Labrador has been remarkably unsuccessful this season.

The *Church Witness* gives currency to the rumor that Lord Mulgrave is to succeed Gov. Head as Governor General; the Hon. J. H. T. Manners Sutton to relieve Lord Mulgrave in Nova Scotia; and Sir Alexander Bannerman, of Newfoundland, to be Governor of New Brunswick.

The fishermen and coasters of the Bay of Fundy have been surprised by a visit from an immense school of mackerel. This discovery was made in the latter part of last week, and within a day or two afterwards, there were from forty to fifty vessels diligently engaged in gathering in this unexpected fish harvest. The mackerel are taken on the south side of the Bay, off the Digby and Annapolis shore. They are described as fish of superior quality—some say number 1; others, large and fat number 2. The fishermen were at last accounts succeeding in getting them in large quantities. Such an event, if we are correctly informed, has not been known in that locality for from thirty to forty years past.

It is estimated that the reception of H. R. H. the Prince of Wales will cost the Provincial Government of the Canadas no less a sum than $1,000,000, independent of the vast amounts spent by the different towns. The ball, it is said, cost forty-six thousand dollars, while the receipts were only twenty-six thousand.

THE HARVEST IN GREAT BRITAIN.—The weather of late in England has been most extraordinary and fears were entertained for the safety of the crops. The London *Times* in remarking upon the subject says:

"We need not say how much must still depend on a continuance of the fine weather which we have enjoyed for the last few days. We may already, it is true, assure ourselves that the harvest will not be so bad as we feared, but in some districts, it is hardly yet commenced, although in others it is all but completed. What is instructive in the case is the evidence thus given of the visitations which the wheat crop can sustain with impunity, or, perhaps we should rather say, of the blindness with which man may regard the operations of Providence. We thought that the corn must be germinating under the excessive wet, whereas we are now told that it is actually safer in this respect than it was last year. All this while too, the weather was really extraordinary. The popular opinion on this point was no delusion. There was little sun, little warmth, a perfect tempest of winds, and a deluge of rain; yet the corn grew in its season, and blossomed in its season, and ripened in its season. It covers our fields at this moment with an average harvest, and as we look at these kindly fruits of the earth, which have been produced for our support, we have only to pray that in due time we may be enabled to enjoy them."

Heenan and Morrissey.

The sporting world is informed by the New York *Mercury* that Morrissey and Heenan will fight on the 10th of November next. Both men keep up a system of quiet training. Morrissey's health is good—his bronchial tubes were slightly affected, but he is now in perfect condition. In conversation at Saratoga, one day last week, Morrissey was asked—"Shall you fight Heenan again?" He at once replied—"I certainly shall, and shall whip him too." He went on to say that he wanted the challenge to come from Heenan, as Heenan, having been defeated by Morrissey, ought, of course, to issue the defiance. He said that he should at once accept the challenge, and added he—"If you've got any money to bet on the event, put it on me, and I'll win it for you." He continued—"I am confident that I can whip this man. Sayers would have whipped him easy, if he had fought him as I shall fight him. He can't stand body punishment, and I shall give him my head to hammer away at, while I make my fighting at his body. I can outstay him, and I'll win the fight, be sure of that. His hands will go in a little while, and then I can take him as I want to." Morrissey, the *Mercury* says, "is full of confidence, and wants only, as he says, once more to face his old antagonist on the turf, to teach him that he is still his master. Morrissey has many friends who are equally confident with himself, and who, with him, will stake every dollar they can raise on the issues of the fight. Experienced fighting men also declare their belief that Morrissey will win the fight, and they found their assertion on the same theory that is propounded by Morrissey, that Morrissey can stay longer than Heenan, and can take all the punishment his adversary can inflict, and can then go in and whip him." If they fight it will be for $10,000 aside, and besides the battle money, the two combatants will each bet from five thousand to fifteen thousand dollars on the event.

BOSTON FUSILEERS.—A very pleasing incident occurred during the visit of the Prince of Wales at Montreal. The Boston Fusileers, who were present at the laying of the last stone of the Victoria Bridge, presented arms to His Royal Highness as he passed them on his way to the ceremony, which act pleased the Prince very much. The Prince afterwards desired that the officers should be presented to him, when one of them, not being fully versed in the usages of Courts, extended his rough, honest hand, to shake hands with the Royal Guest. This movement occasioned some little demur, among the members of the suite, who seemed shocked at such ignorance of etiquette, when the Royal Youth put an end to the dilemma in a very sensible way, by stepping forward and seizing the extended hand, and giving it a hearty, friendly shake.—*Montreal Pilot.*

A VOLCANIC ERUPTION.—A correspondent of the *Scotsman* describes a recent eruption of the Kothigja Johul, one of the most celebrated Icelandic mountains. The fifteenth eruption began on the 8th of May last, and continued till about the end of the same week. It was preceded—as is usual before the eruption of Icelandic volcanoes—with local earthquakes; and the first signal of its advent occurred in the form of a cloud of smoke, which rested on the summit of the mountain. Vivid flames and a column of smoke or steam, sometimes 24,000 feet high, were visible occasionally—as on the 24th and 16th of May.

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50 firkins choice Butter;
50 cases Bacon;
50 do J & H Lard;
50 cherts black Tea;
50 do green do
200 boxes Candles;

Oysters, Chickens,
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NOTICE:

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Wednesday Morning, Nov. 14, 1860.

Grand Juries.

Grand Juries have in several of the United States been entirely done away with. Their functions have been considered anomalous and the power which they have exercised of finding indictments on *ex parte* evidence, considered unfair to the accused, and consequently injurious, instead of beneficial to the liberty of the subject. It certainly does appear to be a very irregular proceeding indeed for a number of men to meet in secret, hear evidence only against the accused, and not allow the accused an opportunity to rebut it and vindicate himself. The whole power of the Government, with learned and eloquent counsel, paid by the State, to convict the prisoner if possible, would appear to be sufficient of itself to satisfy the most vindictive justice, without calling in the aid of an inquisition to acquit or find guilty on one-sided testimony; and then after this trying a prisoner, in case a true bill be found to put him on trial again.

It is not our purpose at this time to proclaim a war of extermination against Grand Juries. The slow but certain tendency of law reform will reach them eventually, and they, with many other clumsy instruments of justice, will be numbered with the things that were. What we do wish to see, however, is the exercise of the whole of the functions of a Grand Jury when it is empanneled.

We do not want to see such a total disregard of public interests and winking at public abuses, as were manifested by the hurried manner in which the Grand Jury dispersed on Monday last. No pains apparently were taken to learn whether the recommendations of former Grand Juries had been complied with or not. The utmost anxiety was manifested to be dismissed to look after their own individual interests. From the number of intelligent and substantial gentlemen upon it, we expected more public spirit, and that other subjects than the removal of the magazine in the Fort would be presented in their report. Why was not the question of incarcerating debtors with felons dealt with? A former Grand Jury recommended that a portion of the police barracks be set apart for the purpose. There has yet been no compliance with the recommendation. Some one in authority offered the old Supreme Court room for a debtor's prison—a cold, damp place, rendering the barbarous law of imprisonment for debt a still greater remnant of slavery. Why did not the Grand Jury see to this matter; and see that a room in the upper part of the barracks was fitted up, wherein debtors could lodge free from damp, with pure air, and separated from the society of felons? Why, we say, did they not look to this matter? Had they no public spirit at all? And were they equally deficient in humanity? Judge Cameron, in his charge, told them that the magistrates did not understand their duty. If they had, the riot would never have occurred at the theatre, nor continual complaints be made about the state of roads. He alleged that they had power to license the one, and see that the other was put in good condition. Why then did they not report on the state of Esquimalt road? Or why did they not present the magistrates for neglect? They certainly should not have lost sight of Mr. Pemberton for incarcerating King. For the oppressive sentence which the latter received ought to have convinced the most obtuse as well as the most inhuman, that such a stretch of power deserved a strong rebuke. We might add subject to subject for presentment; show neglect after neglect on the part of the Grand Jury; but we have cited enough to act as a warning to the most apathetic Grand Jury in the future, that they will not hereafter be passed unnoticed.

ERRATUM.—The charge of perjury against Aime L'Eclaire is incorrect. It should have been Noel, not Aime L'Eclaire.

☞ There were 37 prisoners in jail yesterday morning.

REFUSED.—Gov. Douglas has positively refused to pardon E. Hammond King.

COLONIAL THEATRE.—"Damon and Pythias" was last evening performed at this theatre with a decided success. Mr. Beatty's Damon was most excellent; his faultless style, the knowledge which he evinced of his difficult *role*, and the aptitude with which he seized upon the finer points, were subjects of general admiration. Mr. Mortimer's Pythias, we cannot speak of in too high terms. The character was played to perfection, and the rendition was frequently applauded—stamping Mr. M. as a general favorite. Miss Sweet's Calanthe was fine, and also elicited frequent pplause. Miss Sweet is a promising and versatile young actress, and her performances are well worthy a generous support. The song by Mr. Oliver was encored; and Miss Sweet's dance and song brought down the house. The performance concluded with a laughable farce. To-morrow evening, "Romeo and Juliet" will be performed.

SWINDLING.—Narcisse Montagne, was arrested by Special Constable Phillips on a charge of having swindled a Hydah Indian out of some money. The Indian said that he gave Montagne money to buy blankets with, but he had never furnished the blankets or returned the money. The accused pleaded guilty, but said the money was given him to buy whisky, and that his conscience smote him, and he threw the money away rather than purchase the vile stuff. He was ordered to find security in the sum of £40, not to play any such tricks in future.

BURSTING OF A CAMPHENE LAMP.—Last evening, about five o'clock, a portion of the framework supporting a camphene lamp, in the billiard room of Monati's saloon, Johnson street, gave way, and the dangerous vessel fell upon the floor, and was shattered to bits. The camphene set fire to the floor of the building, and smoked and blazed tremendously. It was soon extinguished, however, by passers-by. The truck-bell sounded an alarm, and the engines and trucks were soon on their way—the Tiger Engine arriving first. Damage about $5.

SELLING WHISKY.—A Masset Indian was arrested by Sergeant Carey, on Monday, charged with selling whisky to his brethren. He was convicted before the police magistrate, and ordered to pay a fine of £10, or go to jail for three months.

Court of Assizes.

TUESDAY, Nov. 13th, 1860.

The Court met at 12 o'clock, Chief Justice Cameron presiding.

Mr. E. G. Alston appeared in court and announced that he had been instructed by Attorney General Cary to take charge of the criminal business.

CASE OF PERJURY.

Mr. Ring, in the case of the Queen *vs.* Le Clare, made an application for the postponement of the trial, on the ground of the absence of a material witness.

The Chief Justice granted the application, and postponed the case for three months.

FALSE PRETENCES.

No witnesses appearing to prosecute Jacob Young, indicted for obtaining money under false pretences, Mr. Ring moved his discharge.

The Chief Justice said he should retain him in custody until the end of the assizes, and if no witnesses then appeared, he would order his discharge.

The Court then adjourned until to-morrow at 10 o'clock.

House of Assembly.

TUESDAY, Nov. 13, 1860.

House met at a quarter past three o'clock. Present—Speaker Helmcken, and Messrs. Tolmie, Waddington, McDonald, Gordon, Cary, Green, Crease.

ELECTION COMMITTEE.

Mr. Tolmie said that as the counsel on both sides, in the contested Esquimalt election case, were engaged in the Court of Assizes, the Election Committee would be compelled to adjourn till Monday next, 19th instant. Leave was granted the Committee.

REGISTRATION OF TITLES.

Mr. Cary moved that the bill for the registration of title deeds, be recommitted.

Agreed to; and the House went into committee on the bill, Mr. Waddington in the chair, and after some trifling amendments, the House adjourned to Friday, 16th, at 3 P. M.

British Columbia.

The *Times* says the total value of the imports into British Columbia during the quarter ending 30th of September, 1860, was $317,328 08.

The following are the receipts at the Custom-house for the week ending November 3: Duties, £578 14s. 1d.; tonnage dues, £94 8s.; harbor dues, £12 14s. 10d.; head money £3 4s.; and warehouse fees, 4s. Total—£689 4s. 11d.

Rose Cottage Market was blown down on Saturday morning, during the gale, at New Westminster. The inmates escaped; but a donkey had its back broken.

Col. Moody has given the Municipal Council a design for a Seal.

Capt. Gossett is out in a letter in the *Times* advocating balloons for the use of the Land and Road Surveyors. He claims that the price of balloons would be repaid every ten miles of road by escaping gorges on the line of road. Rather a *flighty* idea.

New Westminster lot-holders have till Thursday, November 15, to pay up the taxes on their lots.

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The full term for which I was elected President of your Society terminates this day, and my duty this Evening will be to superintend the balloting for a President to succeed me, as well as other Officers: the whole of whom (as well as myself) go out of office to-day. When another President is elected, I shall (upon receiving his full discharge) deliver to him the Seal, etc., now in my possession. I decline to be nominated for re-election, I also decline to walk in procession, or to dine with the present Officers on St Andrew's Day; and, after this Evening's meeting, I intend to withdraw from further intercourse with the St. Andrew's Society.

JOHN COPLAND, President.

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Sugar in kegs and bbls,
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A COTTAGE ON BLANCHARD ST., near Fort, suitable for a small family. Apply at the Office of the BRITISH COLONIST. n9 tf

Supreme Court.

TUESDAY, Nov. 13th, 1860.

The Court met at 10 o'clock, Chief Justice Cameron presiding.

Mr. McCreight appeared in behalf of the prisoner, E. Hammond King, on the return of the writ of *habeas corpus*.

The learned counsel, before commencing his argument, called attention to the fact that there had been a commitment sent to court this morning, dated November 12, while Mr. King was committed to prison the 6th, consequently Mr. King must have been held without a warrant from the 6th to the 12th, including the period when the writ issued; at which time, therefore, on the Justice's own showing, there was no authority whatever for keeping him in custody.

His Lordship remarked that Justices were allowed some time to draw up their commitments.

Mr. McCreight—Will your Lordship look at the affidavit of Messrs. Waddington and Dennes in regard to the minutes in the Police Court record? From those minutes, it would appear that the punishment was for contempt, and the commitment is now made to read that punishment was inflicted for assault.

The Chief Justice—The assault was the contempt.

Mr. McCreight—The question for your Lordship then is to examine whether the magistrate had power to commit for contempt. The punishment first awarded was in respect to contempt of court. Then your honor assumes that the commitment was a punishment for the contempt. The next objection is, the sentence is for a month's imprisonment; and at the end of that time, Mr. King is to find security to keep the peace, in the sum of £400, or suffer three months imprisonment. If your Lordship will turn to *Burns' Justices*, v. V., pp. 1202, you will see that a magistrate may place any person under bonds, upon the oath of a person whose life or property has been threatened. Mr. Pemberton had the power to bind the prisoner over to answer an indictment, but there should have been an oath from Mr. Alston, or some other person, that he apprehended violence. The party must make oath that he is in bodily danger. The security of the peace is only for those who are in fear; and every authority indicates that there must be an affidavit. Mr. King has been ordered to find security to keep the peace. As there was no affidavit from any person anticipating bodily harm, the magistrate clearly had no power to order him to find such security.

In *Bailey on Convictions*, pp. 289, it is held that if a commitment be bad in part, it is bad *in toto*. I submit that the commitment before your lordship is bad altogether on the ground of the two months' conditional imprisonment. *Dicken's Quarter Sessions*, pp. 99, says:—"The justices assembled at Quarter Sessions have the power to commit to prison, for the term of their *session* a person convicted of contempt of court. Even the The Court of Quarter Sessions, therefore, have no power to convict beyond the duration of their session; and the jurisdiction of a Justice of the Peace is much more limited than the Quarter Sessions.

Another point I have to submit to your lordship, is this: In this instance Mr. Pemberton was sitting *ministerially*, and not in a judicial capacity. *Bailey on Convictions*, pp. 81, says that when a justice is acting ministerially—as in a charge of felony—and a charge of false pretences, falls under the same category—he has no power to convict for contempt. In this case, Mr. Pemberton was sitting *ministerially*—investigating a charge of misdemeanor—whether Mr. Cary should be committed for trial at the Court of Assizes or not. Where a Justice is sitting in a case where the conviction is summary, he is then acting in a judicial capacity—he acquits the person or he convicts, and his decision is final. In Mr. Cary's case, he certainly acted *ministerially*. There was no finality about the matter, and the charge can be at any time renewed, and if he had committed him for trial it would have been for the court above to award a punishment. That he was not acting in other than a judicial capacity, and that he had no power to convict for contempt, is therefore quite clear, it being laid down by Burns that acting ministerially he had no power to convict for contempt.

The next point is this: It has never yet been decided that a Court of Petty Session has the power to commit for contempt, under any circumstances—even sitting judicially. In every authority the Court of Record or the Court of Quarter Sessions, had power to commit for contempt during the term of their session; but no such power is given Petty Sessions. Mr. Pemberton was sitting ministerially, and it was competent and proper for him to have ordered any person guilty of contempt out of the court or conducted the case in private—11 and 12, Vic. c. 42, 3, 19.

According to the affidavit of Mr. King, two distinct punishments are virtually made by the magistrate. His assumed power to punish for contempt was exhausted by the first imprisonment, conditional upon Mr. King finding security to appear the following morning; and the second punishment was in awarding him one month's imprisonment, and the subsequent conditional two months. Supposing he had not been able to find bail, (and that he was so, was owing to his friends,) he would have been imprisoned 24 hours; but we find that after that punishment was exhausted, he was brought before the magistrate and sentenced to one month's imprisonment, with the conditional two months.

The alleged contempt was committed on the 5th of November, and punishment was inflicted on the 6th. There was no evidence before Mr. Pemberton as to the contempt. Supposing a magistrate were to look back six months, and say to himself, "I remember that so-and-so misbehaved himself in court, and I will punish him now." Is it not absurd? And in this case it might as well have been six months as one day. Either look upon the justice as Mr. Pemberton, or as the Court of Petty Sessions. If you look upon him as Mr. Pemberton, no contempt existed; if you look upon him as the Court of Petty Sessions, no evidence was adduced to prove the contempt. I submit to your lordship that under all these points the prisoner is entitled to a discharge.

Sheriff Naylor—They are making out a return.

Mr. McCreight—Let them make out as good a return as they like, it can be easily set aside.

The learned counsel concluded by again citing his authorities; and said that in the whole of the law books his lordship would not find a single instance to warrant the Court of Petty Sessions imprisoning for a contempt of Court; and he believed his lordship, if he remanded the prisoner to jail, would have to decide as no English judge had ever before decided.

The Chief Justice said he would reserve his decision until 10 o'clock to-morrow morning.

Mr. McCreight cited authority to show that the prisoner might be admitted to bail.

His lordship decided to remand Mr. King to the custody of the Sheriff.

Scotch View of Negro Civilization in the West Indies.

In the August number of the *North British Review*, we find the following on African civilization in Jamaica. The picture drawn is rather unfavorable; though evidently a true one. Both English, American, and Jamaican authorities agree that the colored race in the latter colony have not met the expectations of the advocates of emancipation. On the contrary they have deteriorated morally, and shown themselves utterly unfit for the enjoyment of self-government;

"We turn now to the West Indies, where we are compelled to admit representative government has signally failed. It has certainly not produced those results of which free institutions in other parts of the world have hitherto been abundantly prolific. The West Indies have palpably and notoriously retrograded, both in prosperity and civilization, since the passing of the great act of justice, the emancipation of the negro slave. In Jamaica especially, where self government has been in existence more than two centuries, the constitutional system of England is not popular with the white aristocracy, who would infinitely prefer being governed from Downing Street, notwithstanding all the losses they accuse the mother country of having inflicted upon them. They are willing to confide in the justice and wisdom of the statesmen of England, but they are most unwilling to trust the Creole statesmen of Jamaica with protection of their interests and the expenditure of the public funds. The colored people of Jamaica are now the governing class; and that class is equally unpopular with the white man and the negro. The one looks upon them as having supplanted the old governing caste; the other, as a *parvenu* aristocracy, without the intelligence, dignity, or generosity of their old masters. The public debt of this colony has been greatly increased by the Assembly, and now stands at the large sum, for so small a dependency, of £852,808. And when we consider the state of the population, it is difficult to conceive how the elements of a good constitutional government can be found in so circumscribed a community. At the last census the population amounted to 377,433, of whom only 15,776 were Europeans, the remainder being of the African or Creole races. It is, we fear, a fact incapable of being denied, that this, the oldest colony of England, is considerably misgoverned, as it has confessedly fallen into a state of almost helpless moral and political prostration. However it may be regretted by the economist and philanthropist, the broad fact stands out plainly to the world, that the African will not labor. He never promised that he would. He declared on the contrary, that he would be idle as often and as long as he could. Nor have we any right to blame him, however we may deplore the consequences to himself and his employers. He can live with little labor, and he has no ambition to do more than live,

"With that majestic indolence so dear
To native man,"

he prefers eating his banana under the shade of the tree which grows beside his cottage, and moistening it with the juice of the milky nut which hangs from its bough, to toiling in the sugar-fields of a master, whatever remuneration may be offered him. He enjoys existence in his own way; and he has a right so to enjoy it. He even hails the arrival of the Bengal Coolie with satisfaction, and regards him, not as a competitor in the labor-market, but as the instrument destined to relieve him eventually altogether from the necessity of toil. Even in the least fertile parts of the island he can exist almost entirely without laboring for hire; and he is satisfied with this almost aboriginal condition, so long as he can remain in his hereditary haunts. There is, therefore, no reason to expect, notwithstanding the favorable condition of soil and climate, that the colonists of the West Indies will ever regain the commercial position they once held."

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The imputation against Mr. Bailey, late Chief of Police, has been declared to be utterly groundless by Mr. Pemberton, the Chief Commissioner, to whom the investigation of the matter was committed; and to this conclusion he in our presence stated that he arrived after a careful investigation of the accounts.

D. BABINGTON RING,
Counsel for plaintiff.
J. F. McCREIGHT,
Counsel for defendant.

MARINE INTELLIGENCE.

PORT OF VICTORIA, V. I.

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Nov 13—Schr Wild Pigeon, Atkinson, Port Townsend
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Schr Sarah Newton, Bynam, Port Townsend
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Per schooner GROWLER, from Port Townsend—1200 qr sks flour, 1000 bushel oats, 2 horses; value, $2550

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Per BARK ADELAIDE COOPER, from San Francisco—100 ¼ sks flour, 20 cs coffee, 50 bxs candles, 6 cs raisins, 6 cs lard, 3 hhds bacon, 12 hf bls sugar, 2 cs matches, 27 pkgs butter, 2 bales duck, 4 bbls tar, 1 bbl putty, 1 cs varnish, 1 cs lard oil, 65 cs mdse, 1 csk claret, 76 coils rope, 1 iron safe, 10 bdls oars, 88 pkgs hardware, 5 anchors, 14 pkgs rope, 1 bx ship chandlery, 6 bales oakum, 2 csks bacon, 31 bxs tea, 4 bbls pork, 20 bxs coffee, 2 puncheons meal, 3 bales gunnies, 10 cs mustard, 20 bales salt, 5 bbls hams, 5 fkns butter, 3 cs cheese, 50 cs bread, 70 bxs soap, 20 kits mackerel, 2 drums fish, 10 cs lard, 4 cs oysters, 17 cs spices, 1 cs nutmegs, 3 bbls beef, 1 cs chocolate, 2 cs sauce, 5 cs yeast powders, 800 qr sks flour, 200 mats rice, 20 sks coffee, 5 bbls and 20 bxs sugar, 81 bxs starch, 10 sks salt, 1 cs chocolate, 120 sks barley, 50 sks bran, 4 bdls sheet iron, 16 stoves, 8 do bases, 8 do castings, 2 pcs do, 11 pcs hollowware, 1 roll zinc, 1 bdl mdse, 2 bxs stoves, 11 bdls castings, 1 csk zinc, 9 pumps, 7 bdls frypans, 1 pig tin, 3 pcs hollowware, 1 pkge copper, 8 bdls sheet iron, 1 do Russia do, 3 cook stoves, 2 pipes pure spirits, 2 bbls whisky, 10 ½ csks brandy, 25 bxs grapes, 40 sks beans, 30 cs bacon, 50 mats rice, 25 cs camphene, 5 cs alcohol, 10 gunnies salt, 40 ¼ sks flour, 80 qr sks self-rising flour, 86 sks onions, 200 sks flour, 100 sks bran, 195 sks barley, 100 bxs onions, 25 sks barley, 50 sks middlings, 8 cs bacon, 10 bags coffee, 10 cs and 3 bbls hams, 17 bxs raisins, 70 bxs candles, 5 chts tea, 2 drums codfish, 20 hf bbls butter, 15 do pork, 10 do apples, 7 pkgs mdse, 1 desk, 1 stove with zinc, 79 sks bran, 15 sks barley, 12 sks oats, 130 bales hay, 424 pkgs groceries, 3 hf bbls butter, 1 hhd bacon, 1 cs yeast powders, 2 bxs pipes, 5 cks red wine, 100 cks claret, 4 cks sugar, 23 pkgs dry goods, 10 kits mackerel, 4 doz washboards, 8 cs chairs, 35 sheets iron, 41 bars do, 34 sheets do, 190 bars do, 6 octaves brandy.—Value, $22,532.27.

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I AM PREPARED TO OFFER THE largest and best Assortment of

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Ever exhibited in Victoria, comprising

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Gents' Stout Aberdeen Gloves, lined;
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Hostetter's Celebrated Stomach Bitters.—No medicine has ever achieved a higher reputation. In every section of the country its merits are known and fully acknowledged. The leading physicians in the country have expressed their warm approval of this preparation, as uniting all the best qualities of a tonic and invigorator, without kindling an appetite for alcoholic liquors. In cases of diseases of the digestive organs, to which all unacclimated persons are from necessity, exposed, as the proper diet cannot at all times be had, the Bitters will be found to be the quickest corrective and most reliable remedy yet discovered. Diarrhœa, Dysentery, and the various bilious and intermittent fevers all yield to the curative properties of this medicine. No person should be without the Bitters a single day.

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COMMISSION MERCHANTS,
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And Battery street, San Francisco, California.
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NOTICES.

CONSIGNEES' NOTICE.

THE BARK "GLIMPSE," CAPT. H. Roeder, from San Francisco, will commence discharging THIS (Friday) MORNING, at Union Wharf. Consignees will please call at the Office of the undersigned, and receive orders for their goods.

All goods, when landed, will be at the risk of the owners thereof, and if left remaining on the wharf after 5 o'clock, P. M., will be stored at their expense.

PEASE & BOYCE.
n9 Union Wharf.

NOTICE.

THE COPARTNERSHIP EXISTING between the undersigned carrying on business in Yates street, Victoria, as Commission Merchants, under the Firm of NORRIS, COX & CO., is this day dissolved by mutual consent.

JOHN G NORRIS,
JOHN COX.

Victoria, 1st November, 1860.

The business will be continued as usual by J. G. NORRIS, by whom consignments are respectfully solicited. n3 1m

NOTICE.

THE SUBSCRIBERS TO THE FUND for providing Bag-pipes and Flags for St Andrew's Society, are requested to meet at my Office, at 7 o'clock, punctual, on THURSDAY EVENING, the 15th inst., to make arrangements for the disposal of the Flags and the balance of funds now in my possession.

n13 2t JOHN COPLAND

NOTICE.

DURING MY ABSENCE FROM THE Colony, I have appointed JOHN KANE as my Agent, to transact business in my name.

n13 1w J. H MACDONALD.

NOTICE.

ALL PERSONS HAVING ANY CLAIMS against the Estate of the late ALPHONSE KAINDLER, are hereby notified to present the same at the Office of the undersigned for settlement, within thirty days from this date, or be forever debarred.

F. J. DE ST. OURS.
Nov. 1, 1860. n2

Public Notice.

IN CONSEQUENCE OF THE DELAY in the publication of the Act "To Impose certain Duties in respect of certain Trades and Occupations," the time for furnishing to this Office the Returns required by that Act is extended to the fifteenth inst.

By order.

G. T. GORDON,
Act'g Treasurer.
Treasury, Nov. 9th, 1860. n10

Public Notice.

WHEREAS, THE "ACT TO IMPOSE certain Duties in respect of certain Trades and Occupations," came into operation on the 24th day of October, 1860; and whereas, by Section 3d of said Act, it is provided "that all Traders and others shall, within fourteen days after the passage of this Act, deliver to the Treasurer of Vancouver Island, at the Treasury, a return as from the first day of July last, in the form marked B in the said Schedule, and shall file in the same with a correct statement of the actual amount of the money which during the three calendar months next preceding the return shall have been received by him, or any person in his behalf."

I hereby give notice that such returns must be delivered at the Treasury, on or before the ninth day of November next, according as the Law directs

G. T. GORDON,
Act'g Treasurer.
Treasury, November 5th, 1860.

N B.—Copies of this Act can be obtained at Messrs Hibben & Carswell's, at cost price, and blank Forms of Return, upon application either at Messrs. Hibben & Carswell's or at the Treasury. n6

Assay Office,
YATES STREET,
VICTORIA, V. I.

THE LIBERAL PATRONAGE RECEIVED from Miners and Dealers in Gold Dust, since the opening of the PIONEER ASSAY OFFICE of the undersigned, is acknowledged by the fact that they still continue at their old stand, and solicit a continuation of their support.

ASSAYS OF GOLD, SILVER & ORES of every description made, and returns given within SIX HOURS, in Bars or Coin, at the option of the depositor.

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Sather & Church, Abel Guy.

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MacDonald & Co.

n1 1m2dp MARCHAND, JR., & CO.

Dr. Wm. Hall's Balsam, a Great remedy for COLD and CONSUMPTION.—Port Larnies, Shelby Co., O., June 10, 1860.—Messrs. A. L. Scovill & Co.—Dear Sirs: I formerly lived in Fillmore, Putnam county, Indiana, and while I was there I was attacked with a violent cough, which reduced me very low, and I tried several remedies, all to no purpose, and finally one of my neighbors came and told me about Dr. Wm. Hall's Balsam for the Lungs being very highly recommended for such diseases, and by recommendations I was induced to try the remedy. I used only TWO BOTTLES, and it CURED ME.

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APPLE, PEACH,
Pear, Cherry and other Trees.

For sale by

PEASE & BOYCE, Agents.
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IN STORE, AND FOR SALE,
200 CASKS, 4 DOZ. EACH, MAURICE, Cox & Co.'s Ale and Porter;
300 cases Swain, Boord & Co.'s Old Tom;
150 cases D. Gordon's Sherry Wine, pale and brown;
100 baskets Heidsieck & Co.'s Champagne;
50 cases Oldner's celebrated Eye Opener.

Traders will find it to their advantage to call and examine the Stock, consisting of Fine Brandies, Wines, Scotch and Bourbon Whisky, Gin, Cider, and a general assortment of Liquors of every description, at the lowest market price.

n9 1m J. D CARROLL, Yates street.

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BY LATE ARRIVALS, THE UNDERsigned have received additions to their hitherto well-assorted stock of Furniture—and now offer

PAINTED SETS, ten pieces;
EXTENSION TABLES, 8 and 10 feet long;
CENTRE TABLES, Serpentine and round tops, assorted sizes;
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COMMON " 2½, 3 and 3½ long, with drawers; also Cherry, Walnut, and painted pine leaf tables;
BEDSTEADS, Mahogany French, Cottage, double and single;
LOUNGES, spring seats, in damask and leather covers;
SOFAS, spring seats, hair cloth, with round and pillow ends;
DESKS, with full and door fronts;
CHIFFONIERS, walnut and mah'ny carved fronts, 3 shelves, fret work;
BUREAUS, one-half marble top, scroll and painted pine, 4 and 6 drawers;
WHAT-NOTS, walnut and mahogany, 5 and 6 shelves;
MIRRORS, in gilt and mahogany frames, assorted sizes, for parlors, chambers and saloons;
CHILDREN'S cribs and cradles, also high and low chairs, assorted patterns;
CHAIRS, mahogany hair cloth, spring seats, cane and wood seat, office, oak, dining, Grecian cane, heavy bar room, and common wood seats;
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Our San Juan, Regalia Britanica,
El Esmero, do do
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This invoice of Cigars is warranted genuine, and is sold for the best Havana production. Is also the only invoice of Cigars received from Havana in this market.

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Days of Old.

Give me back the days of old,
The days of honest labor,
When man to man was frank and free,
And would not wrong his neighbor.

When men were not ashamed to work
And cultivate the soil,
Seeking no other boon than that
Which follows earnest toil.

When truth and right and honest zeal,
Gave all their proper station;
And justice weighed in truthful scales,
And wisdom ruled the nation.

Our soldiers they were brave and true,
And neither crest nor shield
Was needed then, to make them men,
In bivouac or field.

But let us not forget to pay
The tribute due to others;
And while we sing of men of old,
God bless our ancient mothers.

And let us pray that come what may,
The charming days of old,
When right was might, and honor bright
Was valued more than gold.

POLITICAL BETS.—We will make the following bets—all to be taken together—with any responsible party who thinks he has more money than we have:

$500 that Douglas cannot carry a single State ten rods, much less dump them all in the western territories.

$50 that General Jackson is dead.

$500 that Heenan can whip Edward Everett in forty minutes.

Ten cents that Douglas is the *regular* candidate.

$7 50 that the Sacramento *Union* never lies villainously.

$1000 that Abe Lincoln cannot carry 181 rails at one load.

$40 that truth is mighty and must prevail.

$500 that Blondin cannot carry the Prince of Wales by a thousand majority.

$500 that Douglas can drink more minnie whisky than Henry W. Beecher.

Double the amount that he will do it.

$10,000 that Squatter Sovereignty is a humbug.

$500 that Bell won't carry every state in the Union.

And two to one that not a single candidate on the Douglas County Ticket will receive the votes of a majority of their own delegates, or any other votes, to speak of, in the country.—*Sierra Citizen.*

THE PRINCE'S DOG.—"Who strikes my dog strikes me!"—Yesterday morning a case was tried by the Recorder, showing the truth, not only of this adage, but that when a dog belongs to a Prince the striker is in danger of being struck by some of the Prince's loyal subjects. "Cabet," the splendid dog presented by the Newfoundlanders to the Prince, was brought ashore from the Hero, and paraded about the Lower Town Market place, in charge of a young tar. Having shown a disposition to eat up a smaller dog on the ground despite all the efforts of his chain-holder, a man named Benoit, passing by, showed his displeasure by a kick at the distinguished stranger. "That's the Prince's dog," said the loyal huckster, McConnell, "and if you kick him, I'll kick you." No sooner said than done. The dog was kicked again, and his enemy was promptly levelled to the ground by the indignant huckster, who was fined $5 for the protection he valiantly afforded the Prince's Newfoundlander.—*Quebec Mercury.*

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30 cases Green Peas, 1 lb tins;
20 cases Lobsters, 2 lb tins;
25 cases Mince Meat;
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10 bbls Soda;
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As a Health Restorative its value supersedes all the mineral wealth and riches of California; and is creating a revolution in the whole treatment of disease throughout the world.
In secondary and tertiary Syphilis, Scrofula, Enlargement of the Glands, Dropsy, and all Nervous and Cutaneous Diseases, and the whole train of Chronic Diseases, which withstand and baffle the skill of the most excellent and learned physician in the world; in Chronic Diseases whose very name is a terror as well to the physician as to the patient, this medicine has proved to be superior to any in existence, and has cured in so short a time that they appeared like being abolished by magic influence, and in fact a few more such discoveries, and druggists will not need to keep a lot of useless medicines on hand, whenever they are prescribed once in a ten score they have lost through time their properties in which their value did reside, if there was actually any in them.
Take this medicine when your digestive organs are disordered and your blood is impure, it will surely act on your bowels.
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Take this medicine when your urinary and absorbing organs are disordered, and it will act on your kidneys—it penetrates every part of your body, searches even the most remote and secret recesses of your system, and removes the disease located there—it restores healthy action and gives tone to every organ in the human body—therefore it has righteously deserved the name it bears: HEALTH RESTORATIVE.
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To satisfy the most scrupulous of men, also as a guarantee to those that have not had the opportunity of knowing the Doctor by reputation or personally, I have adjoined to every bottle of the Anti-Rheumatic Cordial, the certificate, under oath, of one of the most celebrated analytical chemists in the United States, that there are no minerals nor poisons contained in this medicine, although it is a very powerful medicine, and has a very strong action on the human system, which it necessarily must have, to overcome the action of disease of such malignant character.
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25 bbls Bourbon Whiskey
50 bbls Alcohol
50 casks American Brandy;
25 hhds Allsopp & Sons Burton Ale;
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50 " Absinthe Suisse;
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150 cases Claret Wine
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